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crew; vessel sails in ballast, and previous to departure was fumigated by Cuban authorities.

May 10 inspected and passed the American steamship Seguranca, bound for New York via Cuba, with 82 in the crew, 53 first-class and

34 second-class passengers; vessel sails in general cargo.

May 12 inspected and passed the British steamship *Thurland Castle*, bound for a port in the United States via Coatzacoalcos, with 31 in the crew; vessel sails in general cargo. Inspected and passed the German steamship *Georgia*, bound for Galveston via Progreso, with 40 in the crew; vessel sails in a general cargo. A bill of health was issued the Norwegian steamship *City of Mexico*, but sailing to-morrow will be included in the report of this week.

Mosquitoes are slowly but gradually increasing. Neither the Stegomyia nor the Anopheles are really numerous at this time. Very few

nonimmunes are arriving to remain here.

## NICARAGUA.

## Report from Bluefields, fruit port.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Layton reports as follows: Week ended May 13, 1906. Present officially estimated population, 3,500; general sanitary condition of this port and the surrounding country during the week, good.

Bills of health were issued to the following-named vessels:

Date.	Vessel.	Destination.	Number of crew.	Number of passengers from this port.	Number of passengers in transit.	Pieces of baggage disin- fected.
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## PANAMA.

Reports from Colon—Inspection of vessels—Mortality for the month of April, 1906—Yellow fever.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Mohr reports, May 11, 12, and 22, as follows:

Week ended May 11, 1906. Vessels cleared for ports in the United States and granted bills of health as follows:

American steamship *Finance*, for New York, May 7, with 64 crew and 72 passengers.

German steamship Virginia, for New York, via South American ports, May 8, with 81 crew and 2 passengers.

British steamship Orinoco, for New York, via Kingston, Jamaica,

May 9, with 165 crew and 234 passengers.

Norwegian steamship Bertha, for New Orleans, May 10, with 24 crew and no passengers; holds and living compartments fumigated.